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This is in response to an Office Action dated July 28, 2006 in this Application. Attached are Claim Amendments, a Declaration of Mr. Fukusaka and Remarks, each starting on a separate page.

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